

KONIG 3.0-003

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re patent application of MEISSNER ET AL.

Serial No.

09/830,896

Filed: May 2, 2001

For:

METHOD FOR ADJUSTING THE FUEL CONCENTRATION OF A FUEL MIXTURE CONTAINING ALCOHOL OR ETHER AS FUEL AND WATER, USED BY A FUEL CELL AND A FUEL

CELL SYSTEM

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231 Group Art Unit: 1714

Examiner: Dah Wei D. Yuan

Confirmation No.: 5345

I hereby certify that this correspondence and/or fee is being deposited with the United States Postal Services as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Washington, D.C. 20231 on

May 15, 2003

Date of Deposit

(Signature) (Date)

<u>AMENDMENT</u>

Sir:

In response to a non-final Office Action mailed January 15, 2003, the time period for responding to which has been extended by one (1) month to and including May 15, 2003 by the accompanying Extension Petition, please make the following amendments in the above-identified patent application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on Page 2 of this Amendment.

Remarks begin on Page 6 of this Amendment.